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Title: Forming Low Resistivity P-Type Gallium Nitride
Serial No.: 09/846,980 Filing Date: April 30, 2001
Examiner: Matthew J. Song Group Art Unit: 1765
Docket No.: M-9635 US

San Francisco, California
July 25, 2002

BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner Song:

This is a response to the non-final Office Action dated April 25, 2002, whose period for filing a formal response is set to expire on July 25, 2002.

Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

This submission amends Claims 1, 3-30, and cancels Claim 2. The following is a clean version of the entire set of pending claims. In accordance with 27 C.F.R. §1.21(c)(1)(ii), the Attachment provides marked up versions of the claims containing the newly introduced changes.

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1. (Amended) A method for manufacturing a p-type III-V nitride compound semiconductor comprising:

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- (3) Response to Non-Final Office Action (14 pp.);
- (4) Submission of Formal Drawings (1 p.); and
- (5) Formal Drawings (w/Figs. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5)(2 pp.).

- No additional fee is required.
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	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. <u>Previously Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>	x	<u>Rate</u>	Additional Fee
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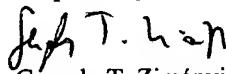
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